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NTHE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masayoshi SHIMIZU

Serial No. 09/957,032

Group Art Unit: 2621

Confirmation No. 4255

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Examiner: Patrick L. Edwards

For: IMAGE STATUS ESTIMATING METHOD, IMAGE CORRECTING METHOD, IMAGE CORRECTION APPARATUS, AND STORAGE MEDIUM

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on June 8, 2005. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to July 8, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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